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SUBJECT: SHIELD S13A-05: AUSTRIAN FIRM'S ACTIVITY MAY
TRIGGER IRAN NONPROLIFERATION ACT (S)

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Classified By: Economic-Political Counselor Gregory E. Phillips for
reasons 1.5(b), (d) and (h).

(S) On November 30, Econ Unit Chief delivered reftel talking
points to Helmut Krehlik, Head of the Ministry of Economy's
Import and Export Division. Krehlik thanked the USG for the
information regarding the Austrian firm Vogelbush's possible
sale of technology and equipment for a citric acid production
line to the Iranian firm Kimia Gharb Gostar Industries. He
promised to look into the issue and report back to us.
VAN VOORST